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## THE TELEGRAPH WILL SHOW RETURNS AT OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT

### RECORD BREAKING VOTE BEING CAST

Reports From States Show That Poll Is Heaviest In Country's History.

### THREE PARTIES ARE HOPEFUL

Roosevelt Asserts G. O. P. Leaders Are Advising the Giving of Support to Wilson—This Is Strenuously Denied.

New York, Nov. 5.—The vote cast for president at today's election throughout the United States up to this moment has exceeded all expectations and predictions and is the heaviest in the history of the country.

In the large cities like New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, New Orleans, San Francisco, St. Louis and many others the poll was heaviest in the forenoon, as a great many workmen voted in the early morning hours before going to their places of employment.

Reports from the states generally at this hour indicate the most strenuous effort on the part of the partisans in getting out every possible vote. This has been exemplified all over the country by an unusual amount of activity on the part of campaign leaders to "get out the vote" in this remarkable three-cornered presidential contest.

Colonel Roosevelt in a statement from Oyster Bay made the direct charge that in New York Republican leaders are urging voters to support Wilson to make the defeat of Roosevelt certain. This statement was met with general denials from the Republican state leaders.

**Wilson Urges Democrats to Polls.**

From Governor Wilson and from his New York headquarters came further admonitions to Democratic leaders to get the voters to the polls, so that the maximum Democratic vote would be cast.

The extent to which the Socialist party, with Eugene V. Debs as its presidential candidate, will cut into the vote of Taft, Roosevelt and Wilson, has become a matter of lively conjecture in the committee headquarters of the candidates. The Progressive leaders assert that the Socialists will poll a heavy vote, drawing largely from the Republican and Democratic ranks.

Five hundred and seventy-five men, working forty days in canvassing New York City's 700,000 voters, have found only 800 cases of apparent irregularity, and of these not more than 150 justify the issuance of warrants. John R. Voorhis, superintendent of elections, in so declaring, added that his men had found no evidence of any attempt at colonization of voters of the city.

**Three Lay Claim to New Jersey.**

Newark, N. J., Nov. 5.—The fourteen electoral votes of New Jersey, Governor Wilson's home state, are claimed by Democrats, Republicans and Progressives alike. Who will succeed Governor Wilson when he lays aside the governorship, if chosen president, also will be determined today.

The Republicans now have a majority of one in the state senate. The president of the senate will become governor of the state in case Mr. Wilson is called upon to lay down his office.

**Pennsylvania Has 11 Tickets.**

Philadelphia, Nov. 5.—There are 11 tickets in the field in this state, eight of which have a full list of presidential electors. The Roosevelt electors appear on three of these tickets, under the title of "Bull Moose," "Roosevelt Progressive" and "Washington" party. The Taft electors appear once, as do also the Wilson electors. Much attention has been paid to the congressional contests in the state, the Democrats having put forth extraordinary efforts to increase their representation in congress.

**Sees a Roosevelt Landslide.**

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 5.—Favorable weather today did what it was expected to do by party leaders, as an enormous vote was polled in West Virginia. Roosevelt men predict a landslide, while the adherents of Gov. Woodrow Wilson are confident in their claim that he will carry the state. Adherents of President Taft are working hard to bring out his full strength.

**By State Vote in Early.**

Boston, Nov. 5.—All the political captains expressed confidence in the result here. It is expected that Massachusetts will be among the first states to give definite results of the vote in a national election precinct the returns coming from some little town in Barnstable, Norfolk or Plymouth counties. Four years ago the town of Norwell heralded Mr. Taft's victory shortly after one o'clock in the afternoon, while a dozen towns in the Old Colony district of the state had reported before three o'clock.

Five of the 33 Massachusetts cities

### ABE MARTIN



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### NO NEW CASES OF SCARLET FEVER

#### SUPT. BALDWIN MAKES SHORT STATEMENT REGARDING N. DIXON SCHOOLS.

No new cases of contagious disease are reported. School will, however, not open this week because of thorough cleaning after fumigation.

H. V. BALDWIN, Superintendent.

### TO START ROLLER SKATING RINK HERE

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## Social Happenings

### BIRTHDAY HOROSCOPES.

October 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.

**Are bold, determined and fearless. Consider yourself equal to anything and go ahead with all the power on. Have much family pride. There are no people like your own brothers and sisters. Love home; worship father and mother. You are fond of gaiety and pleasure. Are a fan to pre-tense and humbug. Specious argument has no power with you.**

October 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12

**You are just, honest shrewd able. Reticent, thoughtful and proud. The secrets and interests of others are safe in your keeping, and see everything that comes your way. Are tenacious, like to advise, and sometimes dictate. Are just and fair and are willing to pay all you owe, and want all you earn. Are conscientious, true and careful in money matters.**

### Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lehman entertained at dinner Sunday, Rev. Trout and family of Lanark, Ill.; Ed Slough of West Brooklyn; Alvin Wade and family of Polo; Henry Hicks of Lee Center and Harold Lehman of Franklin Grove.

### Guests at Brink Home

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brink of Amboy were guests Sunday at the W. T. Brink, Mrs. Brink's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Will Schreiner of Chaddwick were also guests at the Brink home, returning home Monday morning.

### At Luncheon

Mr. and Mrs. George Loveland entertained a few guests at luncheon Sunday evening.

### At Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Plummer entertained guests at dinner Sunday.

### Motored to Haldane

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Rowland and Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Forsythe enjoyed an auto trip to Haldane Sunday. The trip was made in the Rowland auto.

### Dance at Walton

There is to be a dance in Woodman hall in Walton Saturday night. Supper will be served. Good music will be furnished for the dancing, and everyone is invited to attend.

### Entertained at Diener

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rickard and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Rickard.

### Gave Dinner

Miss Lulu Baughman was hostess to a few of her friends at a dinner party Sunday evening.

### Invincibles Met

The Invincibles were entertained yesterday afternoon by Miss Gladys Steele at her home.

### To Give Card Party.

The Lady Foresters will give a card party and apron sale Thursday afternoon in Knights of Columbus hall. Refreshments will be served and a small admission asked.

### EVERY ONE HAS HIS PECULIARITIES, RESTORING HEALTH SANELY, IS OURS.

That fits our talk 'cause well balanced minds, active brains and vigorous bodies are not so numerous. If you think they are, let me suggest that you first look yourself over.

To begin with, have you the mental poise and efficiency your work demands of you?

### ANALYZE YOURSELF.

Is your brain clear and strong? Can you think and act quickly and to the point? Can you do your work with ease and pleasure to yourself?

The **AYDE-LOTTE** Idea of Life and Health teaches that these powers are possible. Further, they are, positively, your right to enjoy. I help you to help yourself, now, today.

**DR. W. F. AYDELLOTTE,**  
Neurologist and Health Instructor,  
228 Crawford Ave., Dixon.

for application.

### At New Orleans.

Friends in Dixon received cards yesterday from Mrs. Robert Espy, who with her husband and daughter, Miss Mazie, and other friends made a trip down the Mississippi, from New Orleans. Mrs. Espy says the end of their journey is reached and that they have had a very pleasant trip.

### Candlelighters to Meet.

The Candlelighters will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wm. Greig. Members are urged to come, as there will be plenty of work.

J. C. Williams has returned from a visit with his daughter in Belvidere.

### Entertained Sunday.

Mrs. D. P. Munn of Sterling celebrated her birthday Sunday evening by entertaining a few friends. The evening was spent socially and dainty refreshments were served. Before leaving for their homes the guests presented Mrs. Munn with a handsome picture.

### Anniversary Dinner.

Mrs. Fred Dimick will give an anniversary dinner next Monday evening before the dance in Rosbrook hall.

### Seelig's Orchestra Will Play.

Seelig's orchestra will play next Monday evening for the dancing party to be given in Rosbrook hall.

### At Thompson Home.

Mrs. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tuller and Miss Gladys Rarden of Morrison were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thompson Sunday, driving to this city in their car.

### Party in Harsenville.

Miss Elsie Harms and brother Oliver entertained about 50 friends last Friday evening at the parental home in Harsenville. Dancing, games and social converse were indulged in and delicious refreshments were served. The ages of their guests ranged from 6 to 60 years. A spirit of good cheer prevailed throughout the evening. All had a glorious time and voted Mr. and Miss Harms royal entertainers.

### Here From Morrison

Mrs. Edward Smith and daughters, Marian, Eleanor and Dorothy, and Mrs. Hal Green and son Sherman of Morrison were here Saturday to attend the dancing class in the afternoon conducted by Mrs. Collins.

### Here From Sterling.

Mrs. Lawrence, Misses Wolfsberger, Crawford and Cochran were up from Sterling Saturday to attend the dancing class in the afternoon.

### Ladies of the G. A. R.

The Ladies of the G. A. R. will hold an old fashioned sewing bee tomorrow afternoon at their hall. So come early and be prepared to sew.

### Tango Replaces Other Dances.

Many Dixon people were interested in reading in the Sunday Record Herald of the new dances which were taking the place of the Bunny hug, the Grizzly Bear, the Turkey Trot, etc., danced with much frankness in some dance halls and with more refinement in those of the more exclusive circles, but from the new dances a new dance is born.

Something good has been found at last in the Grizzly Bear, Turkey Trot and Bunny Hug dances. They have been shuffled together into a new product called the Argentina Tango.

Dancing masters who placed their official ban on Texas Tommy and the Boston Dip and similar glides and rolls reckoned only with their fiddlers. Chicago society refuses to recognize their edict.

Just what the new dance is or is not is hard to explain as the meaning of its name. It is an expurgated edition of the latest fads in terpsichorean art.

### Tango Becomes Popular

Society agreed to be more discreet and only in the privacy of certain houses were the new steps indulged in. All the time there was plotting and planning and now the rebellion has begun in earnest. The Tango is becoming popular and the dancing masters can wave their batons and rule for all Chicago cares.

Mrs. William Prescott Hunt Jr., a member of several north shore clubs said, "Dancing masters can't control people. There seems to be a wave of feeling favoring the new dances. Everybody wants them and everybody is going to have them. They will be the dances this winter."

## City In Brief

Miss Hartwell of Blessing, Texas, was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Plummer.

Ladies will be welcome guests at the opera house this evening. Accept the Telegraph's invitation and be there.

Are you reading the serial story now appearing in the columns of the Telegraph? You should.

Mrs. Mary E. Murphy, 400 South Homan Ave., Chicago, would like a place to nurse or care for elderly person.

M. J. McGowan came out from Chicago on Saturday evening to vote today.

Mayor W. B. Brinton returned last evening from a short business visit in Chicago.

Guy Simonson came out from Chicago last evening to cast his first vote at today's election. He returned to the city this morning.

Mrs. May Gluck has returned after a very pleasant six weeks spent with her sister Mrs. William Wallace at Ottawa, Kas., and friends in Kansas City and Excelsior Springs, Mo.

Walter Hutton of Sterling was in town today.

County Superintendent L. W. Miller is visiting schools in China and Nauhau township today.

George Schorr was in Chicago today on business.

Jack Null and Nate Haller went east this morning.

### Auction Bridge.

Miss Florence Noble will entertain the members of the Auction Bridge Princeton for a short visit.

### Brotherhood Meeting.

The first fall meeting of the Brotherhood of the Presbyterian church was held last evening at the church. A banquet was served at 6:30 after which business was transacted. A piano solo was then rendered by Mr. Stoddard, which was much appreciated. Dr. Crissman then addressed the men present on "A Big Man's Job." M. H. Vail gave a radioscopic lecture afterward which proved very interesting. The entire program was replete with intellectual food. The next meeting will be Dec. 12th, when a banquet will be served. Ashton and Sterling Brotherhoods of the Presbyterian church will be present on that occasion. A speaker, Rev. J. B. Shaw, will be the entertainer of the evening.

### At Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Russell of Palmyra and Mrs. Anna Brader of this city motored to Freeport Sunday, where they were entertained at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Follett. The trip was made in the Russell car.

### WANTED.

A second girl at Hospital. Apply between 12 and 1 to Miss Dewey, at Hospital.

FOR SALE CHEAP. Gent's overcoat, ladies' coats and suit. Call mornings, 11½ 2nd St.

FOR SALE, or will exchange, large Mann bone grinder for pure bred S. C. W. Leghorns, Waite Wyandottes or Minorcas of good laying strains. Address L. Box 515, Ashton, Ill.

FOR SALE. Big bargains in good, clean, secondhand furniture, carpets, beds, springs, Cottonfelt mattresses, etc. Will sell retail or wholesale, at The Hotel Hall, Rochelle, Ill.

FOR SALE. Inside wireman. Only first class electrician need apply. H. L. Dillahan Co., 409 W. First St.

LOST. Dull gold belt pin, diamond in shape, set with amethyst center. Lost Saturday afternoon. Reward if left at Drew's coal office.

H. J. PHELPS, G. P. A., Chicago.

### "See That Bald Headed Young Man"

"I know he is only 38," said one young lady to another at a social function, but he looks like 50."

"Better say he looks like 60," replied the other.

Young men who use PARISIAN Sage never grow bald, because the hair root is supplied with plenty of Nature's own nourishment, which means at all times an abundance of healthy hair.

Young Man, if your hair is thinning out; if that little bald spot on top is beginning to spread, try PARISIAN SAGE. It is guaranteed by Rowland Bros. to stop falling hair, banish dandruff and scalp itch, or money back. 50 cents at dealers everywhere.

### New Method.

"You mean to tell me that you add insult to injury by fining people \$10 for getting mired in your rotten old roads?" demanded Winkletop, as the constable called for payment.

"We sure do!" said the constable. "The chances are ye'll never come this way again, and we gotta get what we kin out of ye when ye do come."

Judge.

### Fine Rugs From Old Rags.

Beautiful and serviceable rugs can be made from old rags. They are not the old-fashioned rag carpet kind, but when the colors are artistically combined they produce soft Persian effects. For the foundation of the rug burlap is used. Upon this, when cut in the size desired, outline your design with a soft blue pencil. Then with a steel buttonhook or large crocheting needle pull a piece of cloth a quarter of an inch wide and an inch in length through the loosely woven burlap and draw it out again as if you were taking an ordinary stitch in sewing. After the whole surface of the rug has been covered in this way trim the uneven ends with large shears, and the rug is finished. These rugs may be made from woolen or silk rags.

## The Quickest, Simplest Cough Cure

Easily and Cheaply Made at Home. Saves You \$2.

This recipe makes a pint of cough syrup—enough to last a family a long time. You couldn't buy as much or as good cough syrup for \$2.50.

Simple as it is, it gives almost instant relief and usually stops the most obstinate cough in 24 hours. This is partly due to the fact that it is slightly laxative, stimulates the appetite and has an excellent tonic effect. It is pleasant to take—children like it. An excellent remedy, too, for whooping cough, croup, sore lungs, asthma, throat troubles, etc.

Mix one pint of granulated sugar with  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint of warm water, and stir for 2 minutes. Put 2½ ounces of Pinex (fifty cents' worth) in a pint bottle, and add the Sugar Syrup. It keeps perfectly. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

Pine is one of the oldest and best known remedial agents for the throat membranes. Pinex is the most valuable concentrated compound of Norway white pine extract, and is rich in guaiacol and all the other natural healing elements. Other preparations will not work in this formula.

The prompt results from this recipe have endeared it to thousands of housewives in the United States and Canada, which explains why the plan has been imitated often, but never successfully.

A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this recipe. Your druggist has Pinex, or will get it for you. If not, send to The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

## WOMEN TAKE NOTICE!

A man cannot understand the torture and suffering many women endure uncomplainingly. If the majority of men suffered as much pain and endured with patience the weakening sicknesses that most women do, they would ask for immediate sympathy and look for a quick cure.

Many women have been saved from a life of misery and suffering by turning to the right remedy—Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription—a remedy which is safe to take because containing no narcotics, alcohol or injurious ingredients. It is an alternative extract of roots, made with pure glycerin, and first given to the public by that famous specialist in the diseases of women—Dr. R. V. Pierce, of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute of Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. LIZZIE M. HESSHEIMER, of Lincoln, Neb., says: "I send a testimonial with much pleasure so that some suffering woman may know the true worth of your remedies. I was a great sufferer from female troubles but after taking one bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which a friend advised me to take, I found myself very much improved. After taking three more bottles, and using two boxes of Dr. Pierce's Letton Tablets, I found myself on the road to recovery. I was in poor health for five years but now I am cured."

"I hope all women suffering from female weakness will give Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription a fair trial."

Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules.



## TAILORED SUITS

at \$25.00

A Showing here that is Notably Large and Remarkable for Style and Quality

The woman who has decided that \$25.00 is the price she wants to pay for a New Fall Suit is the woman to whom we wish to talk today.

We are not going to ask her to change her mind. Instead we have anticipated her needs ---and prepared to meet them without disappointment.

We have suits at higher prices than \$25.00, as well as plenty of suits that less money will buy--and they're good values.

The showing is comprehensive enough to afford widest choosing for women of good taste. Many styles are shown in but one or two suits of a kind.

**Dementtown**

If there is any one thing that gets our nanny more than an anonymous letter it is an anonymous telephone call. It must be that people who wish to exploit their opinions over a telephone without announcing the author thereof, can not be very proud of said opinions.

With which statement we will pass on to the more important things of life. Frinstance, today's election day.

Sincerest condolences to the many defeated candidates—including the ones we voted against.

P. O. Sullivan has been visiting friends in Wisconsin—which explains what we've been missing on the Ave.

**Goose Hollow Dope.**

Doc Hanks charged Silas Perkins \$2 for one visit, and Si now opines that he must have a purty high fevver.

The bartender at the Golden Nugget speaks four languages, to-wit: baseball, prize fight, poker and race track. In fact he speaks everything but English and he kin operate a cash register faster than a feller can run a typewriter. When he gets goin' on that cash register it sounds like the McGibney family of bell ringers. It is not thought he will stay in our midst for any great length of time, because his boss can't tell half the time whether it's no sale or \$1.50.

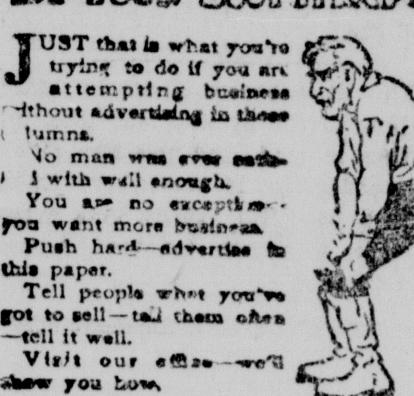
A torn doctor with a nigger comedian played to capacity three nights on main street last week.

Judge Wren gave such an honest decision in the Fort case that both sides are knocking it.

Mrs. Abijah Whiffen says her husband got a shampoo down to the city the other day. Abijah says she is a liar. It wasn't no shampoo, it was a real one.

Hi Scrogs of our town has lost his job as a livin' skeleton in a circus. Somebody told him a couple of funny stories and he laughed and grew fat.

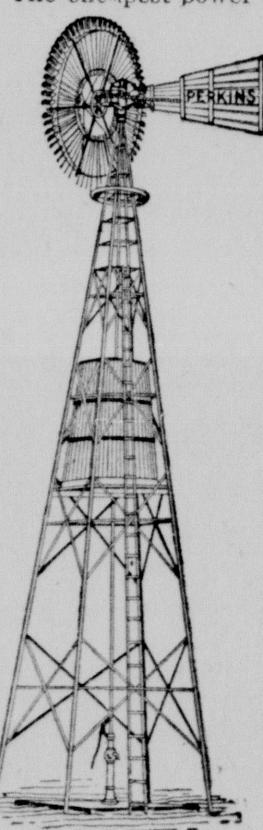
If you would be comfortable avoid the straight-laced female who prides herself on saying "what she means." Like many other remedies that are good for us she is appreciated in small doses.

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CHAPTER XIX.

**The Mysterious Millicent.**

Britz streaked from Sands' apartment to a dingy little den of a shop on the top floor of a downtown business rookery—one of the skyscrapers of a quarter-century before. It was much more tedious to climb the five flights of stairs to the sixth story than to shoot in an express elevator to the summit of the Singer Building. Britz was too hot on the scent to pay much attention to his fatigue. He ran up the stairs lightly, flung open a crazy outer door that cracked an announcement of his coming, and pushed a bit of paper toward a young man of modern physique and ancient visage who was working at a bench. The paper was the note beginning "Curtis dear," and ending with the first name of the mysterious Millicent. The anachronistic young man looked at it inquiringly through steel-rimmed spectacles.

"Rush a hundred copies of this, Burien," said Britz. "I'll send for them in a couple of hours."

The detective seated himself on a stool behind the bench, and for several minutes watched the photo engraver at his work. His mind was not behind his eyes, however. He was busy with the possibilities unfolded by the little scrap of paper he had found in the Hindoo burglar's possession. The Headquarters man never was in a hurry to accept any clew at its face value; nevertheless, he felt he had at last something which, if not a direct link between his knowledge and his suppositions, would go far toward connecting them. That the note was addressed to Curtis Griswold he had little doubt. It required small effort of reasoning to conclude that the Easterners had gone to Sands' apartment soon after visiting Griswold. But this time, Britz had learned enough to convince him that the Brahmin scholar was as eager to get possession of the Missioner necklace as he was—to get the Maharanee diamond, anyway, if not all the other gems belonging to the famous string. By a patient, patchwork process, Britz had pieced together the tiniest details of the Swami's movements. He knew all about the scholar's presence in the Metropolitan Opera House on the night of the disappearance of the jewels, and he had made himself acquainted with the system of espionage maintained by the sage and his subordinates ever since that time. That system, he was aware, covered everyone connected, however distantly, with the mystery. It was apparent to Britz that he was working against men who, while not trained detectives in the Occidental sense, were fully as persistent in their quest as himself. There was no question the Swami had directed all the energies of the Easterners which the detective had followed interestedly throughout their various manifestations. Britz was convinced that he had the Brahmin priest to thank for his own kidnaping; and he was equally certain that the same little band of brothers had searched the homes of Bruxton Sands and Curtis Griswold. He was not given to attaching much weight to intuition, regarding that faculty as a pale and usually ineffective feminine reflection of masculine logic.

But something told him he must stir himself even more vigorously than he had done to date, if he was to trace the Missioner diamonds before the suave, subtle men from the East could find them and put them forever beyond the reach of any Westerner. One thing was in his favor. Undoubtedly he had broken the Swami's line of communication by seizing the spies before they could report the finding of the Millicent note in Sands' apartment. He had a vague sense that the scrap of paper would be of immediate value as a clue to the Brahmin—that if he had not intercepted it, the scholar by now would have been close upon the discovery of the diamonds. It remained for Britz himself to ascertain the identity and whereabouts of Millicent before the Oriental prisoners could communicate with their chief. Those prisoners were safe enough for the present in the Tenderloin Police Station; but, although it was in the detective's power to prevent their immediate arraignment in the Night Court by a word to the precinct commander, he could not long keep them in cells. They were entitled to a speedy examination before the magistrate, and he was certain that unless their failure to report to the Swami should alarm that gentleman sooner, steps would be taken in the morning to have the prisoners produced in court. They were sure to be arraigned in Jefferson Market at next day's afternoon session, if not earlier. Britz felt that, once in their presence, the Swami, though he might be separated from them by the length of the room, would find means to learn all they knew, to the last microscopic detail.

He must find Millicent that night. Then, he had little doubt he would be close to the Missioner Jews, and probably to the person who had taken them from their snug harbor in Mrs. Missioner's library.

"I'll send for the copies, Burien," Britz said, as he slipped from the stool and started to the door, "but

don't let me leave your hands until I call for it myself."

The detective was so absorbed in his thoughts as he walked down flight after flight of the dark stairs that he did not see a pair of eyes gleaming from one of the lower halls. Those eyes were as black as the darkness that formed their background, and the Headquarters man would have been even more than ordinarily on the alert if he had seen them glistening in the remote recess. As the detective passed on toward the street, the eyes advanced along the dusk of the hall, and in the faint glow of a lowered gas-jet at the foot of one of the higher flights of stairs, there became visible behind them a man who, in most respects, was a counterpart of the two Orientals at that moment detained in the West Thirtieth Street Station. The owner of the eyes, while Britz walked downstairs, as quickly and far more quietly went up.

Britz turned his steps toward 300 Mulberry Street. In his own office, after a glance into Manning's room that showed him it was empty, he called Dr. Flitch on the telephone and made an appointment to meet him in two hours in the bar of the Holland House.

"It's one of the quietest places in Manhattan," said the detective, "and I want to talk to you very privately. They are not likely to know me there."

Britz pushed a button, and when a Headquarters attendant appeared, sent him for the Central Office man, whom, next to himself, he trusted most.

"Send down to Burien's place in an hour and a half, Rawson," said Britz to the other detective. "He'll have a hundred facsimiles of a letter signed Millicent. Have as many men as possible get busy among the hotels. I want to trace the woman who wrote that signature. They will have to look through every register for a year past. It's got to be done thoroughly, and I want it done quickly. Here, I'll give you list," and he hastily scribbled the names of half-hundred hosteries of a class such as he thought the Millicent might patronize.

"What time will I see you?" asked Rawson.

"If I'm not back in three hours, I'll call you up," said the detective.

Then, having arrived at a pause in the pursuit of the jewels, he hastened to a Turkish bath, where, being a little weary from much metropolitan journeying and muscle-bound from loss



Was a Counterpart of the Two Orientals.

of sleep, he had himself baked, steamed, chilled, kneaded, and pounded into shape.

The great detective's indulgence in that luxury all unknowingly gave to the other side an advantage in the race for the Missioner jewels that well might prove fatal to his success. Long before Britz reached the hot-air room of the bath, the man with the glistening eyes who had passed him in the hull of the tumble-down loft building was at the door of Burien's workshop, straining the angle of his vision to follow the photo-engraver at work. Those glistening eyes forced their gaze through the keyhole on a piece of paper which Burien had fastened with thumbtacks to a board, and which, in the glare of an arc lamp, confronted a big camera with a powerful lens. Although the eyes followed Burien as well as they could about the room, their owner was not so much interested in the artisan's activity as he was in the small white sheet of paper on which he could discern lines traced in a woman's hand. Patiently waited the owner of the eyes. He was of a race that had cultivated patience through the centuries. Soon or late, undoubtedly, the man inside would go from the bench beside that great white light to another part of the room. A few yards would suffice for the man with the eyes, and even while Britz still was talking to Rawson in Police Headquarters, Burien briskly covered those dozen or so feet to get a chemical in the row of bottles in the rack at the far end of the shop. The man outside, crouching until he was little higher than an upreared cobra of his native land, slipped through the doorway, crawled across the intervening space between the threshold and the camera, whisked the Millicent note

from the board, and as silently made his escape before Burien had replaced the cork in the bottle. By the time Detective-Lieutenant Britz was enveloped in the fog of the steam room, that little note was in the possession of the Swami and Prince Kananda, and those worthies were studying it so swiftly and so profitably that ere Britz took his cold plunge, the sage and the Maharajah's son made a swifter, deeper dive toward the heart of the Missioner mystery. It was as a result of what they learned from Millicent's missive that the Swami and the Prince went separately to the ballroom of Doris Missioner's most fashionable friend. It was also in consequence of the information gleaned from those petulant feminine lines that the Swami found Mrs. Missioner's so interesting, and that the Prince, before and after that tête-à-tête, experienced keen curiosity concerning the doings, characteristics, and state of mind of Curtis Griswold. The third result of Millicent's little letter and the Easterners' joint visit to the Fifth Avenue ballroom, was their dash in separate cabs to a bachelor apartment in a side street just off Central Park, where, shortly after their several arrivals, they were in close consultation for an hour or more with All, the supposedly devoted retainer of the rich Mrs. Missioner.

For the second note to Curtis Griswold that fell into the hands of the Hindoos—the one Prince Kananda intercepted at the door of the Fifth Avenue mansion in which the great ball was held—was written on a letterhead that revealed to Nandy and the Swami an address they very much desired to know. Had that address found its way to Detective-Lieutenant Britz as soon, it would have saved him much delay, and would have spared a large part of the city's detective force

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**Military Training.**

The War Department makes public the names of 10 institutions having all their faculty officers of the United States Army, the students of which have shown the greatest application and proficiency in military training and knowledge. They are as follows: Agricultural and Mechanical College, Texas; Culver Military Academy, Indiana; New Mexico Military Institute, New Mexico; Norwich University, Vermont; Pennsylvania Military College, Pennsylvania; St. John's Military Academy, Wisconsin; St. John's School, New York; Sattuck School, Minnesota; Virginia Military Institute, Virginia.

**Millions Untaxed.**

That the case of Gifford Pinchot, who a few days ago announced that his valuable residence in Washington was under-assessed to the extent of \$600 in annual taxes, is not an isolated one is declared by Representative Henry George, Jr., Democrat, from New York, chairman of the special sub-committee of the house committee on the District of Columbia, which is investigating the "tax scandals" of the national capital.

Mr. George expects to add \$150,000 to the assessed value of the taxed property in Washington.

**Hot In Washington.**

Andrew Gonzales, a Cuban, convicted of murdering his wife whose throat he cut, is under sentence to die Sept. 13. He has requested the district authorities to shorten the time by moving the day of execution up. He said that he would rather be dead than live through the present hot spell in the Washington jail. The unusual request will not be granted.

**YOUNG WIFE  
SAVED FROM  
HOSPITAL**

Tells How Sick She Was And What Saved Her From An Operation.

Upper Sandusky, Ohio.—"Three years ago I was married and went to house-keeping. I was not feeling well and could hardly drag myself along. I had such tired feelings, my back ached, my sides ached, I had bladder trouble awfully bad, and I could not eat or sleep. I had headaches, too, and became almost a nervous wreck. My doctor told me to go to a hospital. I did not like that idea very well, so, when I saw your advertisement in a paper, I wrote to you for advice, and have done as you told me. I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills, and now I have my health.

"If sick and ailing women would only know enough to take your medicine, they would get relief."—Mrs. BENJ. H. STANSBERRY, Route 6, Box 13, Upper Sandusky, Ohio.

Experiment With Tobacco Mold.

An interesting experiment has been made by a German scientist in connection with the discovery of the value of electrifying tobacco as a means of insuring its flavor and keeping qualities. The flavor of tobacco is said to be largely due to the peculiar fungus or "bacterial flora" with which each variety is associated, and electricity kills the fungus, but preserves the flavor. This German scientist has taken the peculiar mold, or fungus, of the best Havana tobacco and transferred it to the more coarsely flavored Bavarian tobacco, and it is claimed that good judges could not distinguish the Havana from the Bavarian.

Ingalls to Scrap Heap.

The United States army transport Ingalls, formerly the Yukon, has been ordered out of commission and will be sent to the scrap heap.

The Ingalls, not yet rechristened at the time, conveyed the first United States volunteer cavalry (the Rough Riders) from Tampa, Fla., to Santiago, where they were intended to form the first line of attack in the Spanish-American war. She had been almost constantly in transport service ever since.

Surprise for Cannon.

The capitol hall of fame soon will be adorned by a bust in marble of Representative Joseph B. Cannon of Illinois. The work is being done by Albert J. Jeagers and is to cost \$2,000. One hundred members of congress, Democrats and Republicans, friends of the former speaker, are behind the little surprise for the ex-speaker. They subscribed \$20 apiece.

**CAPITOL ALWAYS INTERESTS**

Men Who Have Spent Their Lives Within Its Walls Find Surprises Daily.

The one building of never-tiring interest in this country is the capitol at Washington. One could make a systematic study of the capitol for months, and then overlook something. Men who have spent their lives within its walls find new surprises every day. There was former Senator Hansbrough of North Dakota, who during his busy career in the upper house failed to notice the beautiful landscapes painted in an obscure corner on the capitol walls. For years and years artists have been at work putting upon the walls of the nation's great art galleries historical and inspirational scenes that would glory the canvases of a French salon.

While wandering about the corridors Senator Hansbrough became reminiscent and remarked that only one man remains in the senate who was there when he entered it in 1881. That is Senator Cullom, who at eighty-two years of age remains the last living link with the public life of the days of Lincoln. "But though senators may come and go," remarked the genial North Dakotan, "Richards is still here." For more than fifty years Mr. Charles N. Richards of Massachusetts has been keeper of stationery in the United States senate. Administrations have changed hands, but the keeper of stationery has held his job. He came to the capital with a war record, having been through the battle of Antietam, where, as he humorously remarks, his nose was put "out of joint." Because of his wounds he has had the use of only one nasal funnel, so that if necessary he could wear a ring in his nose and be in fashion with the Hindoo beauties. He keeps perhaps one of the most completely furnished stationery stores in the country.

**RESIDES IN HOUSE BUILDING**

Congressman Adamson Is Only Man In Congress Who Sleeps In House.

Judge William Charles Adamson, congressman from the Fourth district of Georgia, is the only man in congress who has his Washington residence in the house office building.

The sojourns in providing for the house building made a point of excluding beds or lounges. Sofas and other couches are permitted in the senate office building, but not on the house side.

Judge Adamson, now chairman of the interstate and foreign commerce committee, was not satisfied with this arrangement. He has been used to taking a nap every day in his law office at Carrollton, and declares that coming congress would not deprive him of his siestas.

He made a still hunt through the house office building for a room in a retired nook where he could take his nap. He found it, and in the course of a few days secured a broad, thick plank, cut from a Georgia turpentine tree, which he supported on two soap boxes and covered with an army blanket, and made a snug couch, with a natural spring in the middle. That became the "Washington residence" of Adamson.

MINERAL WATER IS POPULAR

67,527,822 Gallons Sold in United States During Year of 1911.

In 1911, 67,527,822 gallons of mineral waters were sold in the United States, valued at \$7,875,373. Of this large amount 63,923,119 gallons, valued at \$6,837,888, were of domestic production, and 3,604,703 gallons, valued at \$1,027,485, were imported. The average price of the domestic water at the springs was 10.7 cents a gallon and that of the imported water was 20.8 cents a gallon, to which must be added for the imported water freight, commissions and import duty.

The domestic production in 1911, compared with that in 1910, showed an increase of 1,892,994 gallons and \$480,298 in value. The product in 1911 was derived from 732 springs. New York state led in the quantity of water sold, with 10,245,261 gallons. Wisconsin was second, with an output of 5,716,162 gallons.

At the rate of 50 a day cats of the District of Columbia are being killed by the capital police. More than 200 have been slain within a month and a half. The slaughter was ordered by the district commissioners, who believe that the capital of the nation is threatened with a real, serious cat problem. It is estimated that Washington has more cats than any other city in the world.

Cats eat the song birds that nest in the shrubbery that beautifies the capital grounds and kill the squirrels that romp in the city parks. They walk in the back yards of statesmen and make them nervous. They fight on Pennsylvania avenue at night and attract crowds. "Kill cats—stray cats, unattended cats, any sort of cats," is the substance of the order issued to the police.

Took Money Through Error.

An annual contribution to the government's conscience fund reached the treasury department the other day. It was a \$20 bill in an anonymous letter posted at Syracuse, N. Y. The writer stated that he desired to return the amount, which was not stolen or taken with intent, but through an error.

Most persons sending "conscience" money to the treasury department admit or intimate that they had either taken the money or in some manner defrauded the government. The latest contribution was addressed to the interior department and forwarded to the treasury department.

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**REPUBLICAN CAMPAIGN SONG,**  
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By W. X. Stevens, Washington, D. C.  
Tune, Battle Hymn of the Republic.

All honor to our noble sires who planned in wisdom's light,  
When they framed the constitution on the base of equal right,  
And endowed the young republic with Equity's great might!

Republicans, shout strong:  
Glory, Glory we respect—Taft! Glory  
Glory, we'll elect Taft!  
Glory, Glory we'll protect—Taft! Republicans vote strong.

The right to life and liberty; the right to happiness;

It appeals to the intelligent of every clime and race;  
It hath builded up a nation that now sets the world a pace;

Republicans, shout strong:  
Glory, Glory we respect—Taft! Glory  
Glory, we'll elect Taft!  
Glory, Glory we'll protect—Taft! Republicans vote strong.

Our President, a tower of strength, assists the needy side;

He hath borne protection's banner o'er the nation far and wide;

Prosperity is following the footsteps of our guide!

Republicans shout "On!"

Glory, Glory we respect—Taft! Glory

Glory, we'll elect Taft!

Glory, Glory we'll protect—Taft! Republicans vote strong.

We rank among the foremost of the nations of the earth;

We will give no ranting democrat the presidential berth,

But we'll re-elect the noble man who's proved his sterling worth;

Republicans, shout strong:

Glory, Glory we respect—Taft! Glory

Glory, we'll elect Taft!

Glory, Glory we'll protect—Taft! Republicans vote strong.

**SEE END OF BIG TERMINALS**

New Arrangement Seems Likely to Do Away With Present Costly Buildings.

It has been predicted that the two great railway passenger terminals in New York city will be the last of their kind to be built in the United States and it is entirely possible that this is true.

The plan of gathering large numbers of people from many points and delivering them in a confused mass all together at a point varying from a quarter of a mile to five miles from places where they desire to be is a crude survival from the time when cities were smaller and travelers much fewer in number.

In the modern city the railways bringing passengers from all parts of the country will necessarily be operated as portions of the local transport systems, so that the entire city will form the terminal and the train, passing around the underground railway, will permit individuals to descend at stations reasonably near to their personal destinations.

Such a service will so far outweigh any idea of the desire for imposing architectural terminal structures that it is already evident that the railway first providing such distribution of its passengers will materially outdistance its rivals.

Already in New York the co-operation of the Hudson tunnel system with the railroad is making the new terminal station obsolete, and is showing the way to provide for the real convenience of the traveling public. What the result would be if the entire subway system of the city formed the true terminal of all railways permitted to enter may well be considered before any more great stations are built.—Cassier's Magazine.

**New Block Signal Idea.**

Many of the suburban railway companies are installing a system of block signaling which makes use of electric lights exclusively and dispenses entirely with the semaphore. The system is economical and very effective by day or night. Metallic filament lamps are used, placed behind large red and green lenses, and the entire outfit is mounted in a sunbonnet-shaped hood to enable the lights to be seen by day. With only the light indications, no motor-driven mechanism is required. Experiments on the arrestiveness of these signals show that they can be seen plainly 1,500 feet on a bright day from a car moving at about 40 miles per hour. It is necessary to guard against phantom signals given by reflection from the headlight of the approaching car.

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**ASHTON BANK HAD FORMAL OPENING—SOMETHING TO BE PROUD OF.**

**SOCIETY AND CLUB NOTES**

Clifford Rud in Runaway—New Watering Trough—Oliver Edgington Injures Eye—Progressive Rally—Charters Property Sold—Hallowe'en Mask Ball.

Nov. 4—The Ashton bank was opened formally for business in their elegant new building Monday morning. The interior of the building is certainly a beauty and it is safe to say that no other city the size of Ashton or several thousand larger has as beautiful or imposing banking house. Mr. Petrie was unable to be present at the opening, having been called to Parish, N. Y., on account of the serious illness of his partner's wife, Mrs. S. F. Mills. The bank was thronged all day Monday with admiring friends and patrons.

Henry Voelker, who for the past year has been employed at Geo. B. Stephan's furniture store, resigned his position Saturday night. He will remain in the city until Tuesday in order to cast his vote and will leave that day for a few days' visit at Harvard, this state, after which he will take a position at Hooperston. "Hennie" as he is familiarly called, has made a good many friends during his stay in our city who wish him all kinds of good luck.

B. H. Prather, special agent for the Illinois Life Insurance company of Chicago, who has been in Ashton nearly all summer writing insurance returned to Chicago last Friday to be there to vote. He will return to Ashton about Nov. 15th for another stay. Mr. Prather is a pleasant gentleman to meet and has written much insurance in this city and surrounding territory.

Mrs. George Kersten Sr. who has been critically ill the past week or so, is at this writing reported to be considerably improved.

Lex Hartzell, who is employed at Countryman's meat market in Dixon, was home for a Sunday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hartzell.

The sale of the Mary Charters property, held Saturday afternoon, was attended by quite a large crowd. F. D. Kelley of Franklin Grove was the auctioneer and the property was sold to Adam Messer for \$1350.

Prof. L. B. Neighbour of Dixon, county surveyor, was in Ashton Monday morning on business with the Farmers' State bank people.

Carl Stephan and John Oesterheld left Friday evening for a hunting trip down the Mississippi at Muscatine, Ia. They expect to be gone about ten days.

Hallowe'en passed off very quietly this year, probably on account of the rainy, disagreeable night.

The usual amount of corn plows, hay rakes, binders, buggies, etc., which usually adorn the town pump the morning after Hallowe'en were missing this year. With the exception of a few overturned outhouses in various parts of town no damage was done.

Ezra Williams of Chicago came out last week for a week's visit with his wife, who is making an extended visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. J. Taggart.

A masquerade Hallowe'en dance was held in the opera house on last Thursday evening, given by a number of young men of the city.

In floor and some very fine as well as spite of the rain a large number of dancers in masque were on the floor and some very fine as well as comic costumes were shown. Dancing was indulged in until a late hour.

Maurice Hurd arrived Sunday a.m. from Assumption, where he has been employed for about a year at John C. Stephan's furniture store.

Monday morning he began work for Geo. B. Stephan in his store in this city.

The progressives held a rally in the opera house Saturday evening.

The Ashton band gave a concert on the street and in the opera house. The building was well filled to listen to the speakers of the evening.

Oscar Zipp of Freeport and H. L. Fordham of Dixon, County Committee-Spire T. Jennings presided at the meeting. Short addresses were also made by James W. Watts, progressive candidate for county attorney, and Geo. B. Stephan, candidate for coroner.

Dr. Stanley, chiropodist of Chicago, was at Kelly's hotel last Friday and Saturday on his usual every 3-weeks' trip.

A new watering trough for horses was placed at the town pump the first of the week. It was something which was greatly needed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Billmire and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright of Rochelle were Sunday visitors in this city.

While cutting burdock stalks one day last week while a strong wind was blowing, Oliver Edgington had the misfortune to get a burr into his eye which lodged in the eyeball. Mr. Edgington suffered extremely for a day or two, but at last reports he is getting along nicely and no permanent damage resulted to the eye.

The Thursday Dinner club was pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Ed. Chadwick last week. A number of Dixon ladies came up to enjoy Mrs. Chadwick's hospitality.

The United Home Missionary society meets at the home of Mrs. S. T. Jennings on Thursday of this week.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Garrett.

Clifford Rud, while returning from Ashton Sunday night, was the unfortunate victim of a runaway. While passing Quick's quarry about midnight Mr. Rud's horse became frightened and started to run, dragging Clifford about a block and eventually throwing him into a fence which no doubt saved him from further injury. The buggy was almost a total wreck and the harness was badly in need of repair. Fortunately Cliff came out on top and was not much the worse for his experience.

A bunch of automobiles with a big bunch of progressives swooped down upon Ashton Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A good crowd was present to hear the speakers.

**Get It Quick.**

Time is money and when you want anything you save money by stating your wants in the columns here which thousands see. This paper covers the city and surrounding country like a blanket and it is seen from early morning till late evening, thus guaranteeing you publicity. Put your sign in the Telegraph.

**"TURKEY TROT" UNDER BAN**

**Authorities of Chevy Chase Club Puts a Stop to Modern Fancy Dances.**

Not in many moons has society experienced such a thrill as that occasioned by the ban which the authorities at the Chevy Chase club placed on the "turkey trot," the "bunny wiggle" and all the other fancy dances of the modern type, the other day. Heretofore these fancy steps have run riot at Chevy Chase, the younger set indulging in great abandonment and the sudden and decisive stand, taken by the board of governors was a matter of great surprise. Rumor has it that the governors and members of the club are still not above indulging when surrounded only by friends. The ultimatum, it seems, was forced by the unwelcome presence of strangers within the sacred precincts of the club house on several recent occasions.

Such a crowd attends the popular Saturday night subscription dinners that it was well nigh impossible to prevent the entrance of interlopers. These dinners have been such a feature of the summer season at the club for the last few years that it was deemed inadvisable to discontinue them without first adopting less drastic measures. The recent edict, it is hoped, will eliminate the principal attraction of the evening, from the standpoint of the hot polka.

Carl Stephan and John Oesterheld

left Friday evening for a hunting trip down the Mississippi at Muscatine, Ia.

They expect to be gone about ten days.

Hallowe'en passed off very quietly this year, probably on account of the rainy, disagreeable night.

The usual amount of corn plows, hay rakes, binders, buggies, etc., which usually adorn the town pump the morning after Hallowe'en were missing this year. With the exception of a few overturned outhouses in various parts of town no damage was done.

Ezra Williams of Chicago came out last week for a week's visit with his wife, who is making an extended visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. J. Taggart.

A masquerade Hallowe'en dance was held in the opera house on last Thursday evening, given by a number of young men of the city.

In floor and some very fine as well as spite of the rain a large number of dancers in masque were on the floor and some very fine as well as comic costumes were shown. Dancing was indulged in until a late hour.

Maurice Hurd arrived Sunday a.m. from Assumption, where he has been employed for about a year at John C. Stephan's furniture store.

Monday morning he began work for Geo. B. Stephan in his store in this city.

The progressives held a rally in the opera house Saturday evening.

The Ashton band gave a concert on the street and in the opera house. The building was well filled to listen to the speakers of the evening.

Oscar Zipp of Freeport and H. L. Fordham of Dixon, County Committee-Spire T. Jennings presided at the meeting.

**FEEDING FOR EGG PRODUCTION**

By J. H. Robey, Fairfield, Ill.

In the matter of feeding for egg production I must say there is room for great improvement over present methods employed by the average farmer. Corn seems to be the universal feed for poultry on most farms, and we find it fed in every conceivable form from the ear like feeding hogs and cattle to the meal cooked into Johnny cakes.

**Variety Necessary.**

Corn is good, but should not be fed alone; it should be ground or cracked and mixed with wheat and oats in about equal parts, increasing the amount of corn in cold and decreasing it in warm weather. It is still better to have a greater variety of grains such as barley, rye, Kaffir corn, sunflowers, etc., all of which can be grown on the farm. In winter when the ground is covered with ice and snow, this mixed grain by all means should be fed in a deep litter of straw or leaves and the hen be compelled to scratch for it, thus providing the necessary exercise to induce egg production.

**Dry Mash Popular.**

The dry mash is becoming popular as an egg producer and it is very cheap and easily fed. It is usually composed of about equal parts, by weight, of fine cracked or ground corn, wheat bran and shorts, and if to this is added ground oats and 10 per cent of commercial beef scraps with a small amount of powdered charcoal, a very valuable mash food is formed. This should be fed in hoppers or an ordinary box so arranged as to prevent the hens from scratching out the feed.

**Green Feed for Winter.**

The green feed so necessary for winter egg production can also be grown on the farm; sugar beets, mangolds, suspended just high enough for the hens to jump for it, is good; alfalfa and red clover may be cut and saved for winter's green feed; these may be chopped and mixed with the dry mash, or they might be scalped and mixed with a wet mash. If a warm, well lighted basement is available for the purpose, a rack that will hold a system of shallow trays containing a small quantity of earth may be provided, and in these, oats may be sown at proper intervals, and an excellent green feed supplied throughout the winter.

**Proper Housing Important.**

Even though we have the very best breeds properly fed we can not hope to produce eggs in winter with our hens roosting in trees, or discarded sheds; under such conditions it requires all the food a hen can eat to keep her warm. We should provide good houses—not necessarily expensive, but with tight roofs, walls and floors, well ventilated or with open fronts.

**More Interest Needed.**

We insist that farmers take more interest in this one of our best paying crops—poultry and eggs. Use an incubator; get out a nice lot of the early hatched pullets, produce winter eggs in large numbers, use better judgment in caring for flocks, feeding, housing, etc., produce guaranteed eggs and the value of poultry and egg production in this state may be increased 50 per cent per annum.

Illinois Farmers' Institute, Springfield, Ill.

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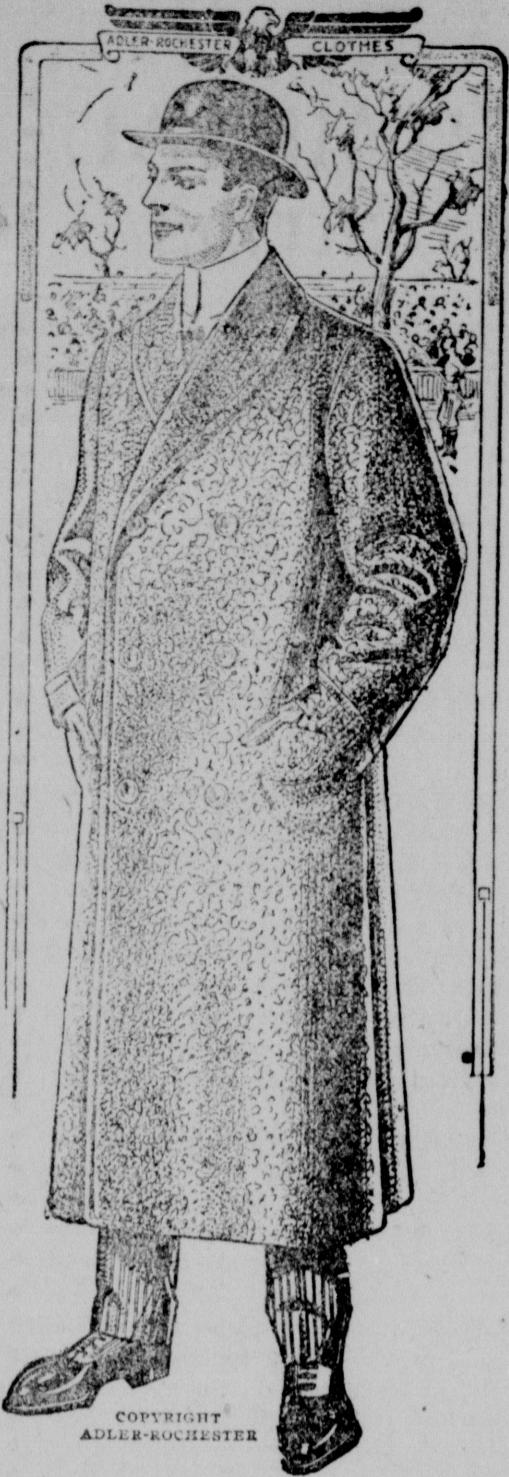
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There is a chill in the November air.

**STANDARD Fashion Sheet**



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#### SERVICES POSTPONED.

Owing to contagious disease in the neighborhood special services at the Evangelical church have been postponed. If possible we hope to begin next Sunday and continue as Mrs. Isaac Divan has arranged to be with us.

Secretary E. T. Bailey will have charge of the prayer meeting tomorrow (Wednesday) evening.

Geo. A. Smith.

#### AS SURE AS SUNSHINE.

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Joe Glavin went to Polo to spend the day.

#### MILITARY ACADEMY BEAT

##### MT. MORRIS, 12 TO 8

The Rock River Military Academy football team drove over to Mt. Morris Saturday and was victorious in the succeeding battle on the gridiron winning by a score of 12 to 8. There were two touchdowns by Campbell of the academy. There is good timber in the team, as the result will show.

#### QUEEN ELEANOR



Queen Eleanor of Bulgaria has been serving as an army nurse at Philippopolis, to which city the sick and wounded Bulgarian soldiers were taken.

#### ADOPT HOBO SIGN LANGUAGE

House Doorkeeper Invents System to Stop Petty Pan-Handling Around Capitol.

The doorkeepers of the house of representatives have adopted the hobo sign language, and they say it works like a charm. One of the pages invented the system to assist in putting as many crimps as possible into the petty pan-handling that goes on around the capitol.

The other day a flashy looking individual approached the doorkeeper at the main entrance to the floor of the house, flipped out a card and haughtily asked that it be sent in to Representative Sereno Payne, of tariff fame. It was then that one of the tricks of the "Weary Willie" code was worked.

The doorkeeper sized up the visitor as one of those pestiferous persons who make life a burden to statesmen. He passed the stranger's card to a page, but before doing so he turned down the upper left-hand corner in such a manner that the flashy looking man never noticed it. That turned down corner meant in the slang language, "Nothing doing."

The house page rushed in on the visitor at Joe Dawson speed, noted the turned down corner and threw the card into the waste basket. Then he sauntered over to the pages' corner, back of the big screen on the Republican side, matched nickels with one of his fellow-pages, and, after the lapse of a polite length of time, returned with the information that Congressman Payne was out. The New York member sat nodding at his desk, touching elbows with Uncle Joe Cannon and John Dalzell, oblivious of the fact that he had just been sought.

#### Uncle Sam's Rat Hunt.

The government is to become a modern competitor of the Pied Piper of Hamlin as an exterminator of rats. But the magic of the Pied Piper's flute is to be displaced by the most improved, modern, double-action steel-jawed rat trap that American inventiveness can furnish.

Through Surgeon General Bliss of the public health and marine hospital service, the government has asked for demonstrations of rat traps. The government wants traps to exterminate rodents which carry the bubonic plague from seaport to seaport. The trap which proves most efficacious will be recommended by the government for use in American ports where the plague-carrying rat may be expected.

As a means of promoting its country-wide campaign against the plague the service has issued a circular specifying the proper method of poisoning rats. This has been sent to every American port.

#### Dramatic Notes

##### OPERA HOUSE.

The "Light Eternal," a big, spectacular religious drama, is announced for presentation at the opera house Thursday, Nov. 14. This attraction is unquestionably the most elaborately staged offering yet attempted outside the highest priced theatres of the largest cities. The scenic equipment is massive and the costuming gorgeous, both bearing the stamp of the astute actor-manager, Henry Miller, as producer. The cast is large and is splendidly made up of carefully selected artists, men and women who know how to read the classic drama and who fit well into the heroic roles of the early Christian period.

#### FAMILY THEATRE

Del Bailey and Jap, a clever dog act, is the bill at the Family this week. The act is different from any of its kind ever seen here and is a decided novelty. Law & Wilson, the comedy act, was cancelled on account of not being up to standard.

## POWERS REFUSE TURKEY'S REQUEST

European Government Decline to Intercede for Peace in Balkan War.

#### HOSTILITIES WILL CONTINUE

Situation in Constantinople Grows Graver With Every Hour—Hostility Towards Europeans Is on the Increase.

Liverpool, Nov. 5.—It is reported here that the Greeks have captured the Ellerman liner Asturian, coal-laden. The point at which the capture was made is not known.

London, Nov. 5.—The latest in the great war drama of the Balkans—the entry of the Bulgarians into Constantinople—is expected to be witnessed within possibly two days. The appeal of the thoroughly whipped Ottoman government for an armistice has been denied by the powers and Nazim Pasha, the Turkish commander-in-chief, in making his last stand against the victorious Bulgarians at the lines of Tchatalja, 25 miles outside Constantinople.

Meanwhile, within the confines of the Turkish capital Christians and Mohammedans alike are existing in a state of fear, the former believing that the fanatical Turk in the desperation of defeat will turn upon them with the knife and the latter living in dread of the victorious hosts as they approach the city.

#### Powers Refuse Turkey's Request.

It was apparent to practically all the leading diplomats of Europe and some of the governments so stated during the day, that Turkey's proposal for a cessation of hostilities would offend the Balkan victors. Other governments took the position that it would be an infringement of international law for the moment and so Turkey's request was not received with favor and the war must go on. It appears to be only a question of one more battle between the crippled Turks and the victorious invaders, yet Nazim Pasha, confident of his ability to hold the lines for the Turks at Tchatalja, is determined to fight to the end, while the Balkan allies, who have given it out flatly that they will talk peace terms only with the sultan are determined to wipe out the last remaining vestige of the Turkish forces.

#### No Cessation of Hostilities.

That there has been no cessation of hostilities owing to the request for mediation is indicated by the receipt of a dispatch recounting another reverse for the Turks. In an engagement between the Bulgarians and the Turkish army, which is occupying the line from Tchorlu to Istrania, the Turks were repulsed on their eastern tanks with heavy losses.

The Bulgarians pushed operations all day against the last line of the defenses in front of Constantinople. This line of forts cross the Turkish southeastern peninsula from Keraburn on the Black sea, through Tchatalja to Siliyri, on the Sea of Marmara. News of the reopening of the fighting along the entire line is hourly expected and the capture of Constantinople is looked for before the Turks have had time to reorganize their forces after their long succession of disastrous defeats. The outer suburbs of the Turkish capital are directly behind the Tchatalja fortifications.

#### Constantinople Situation Bad.

Constantinople, Nov. 5.—The situation in Constantinople grows graver with every hour. Hostility towards Europeans is on the increase and is shown more openly and arrogantly than ever. The lower classes express their fierce animosity without any attempt at concealment. Some members of the various workmen's guilds have openly boasted that they have taken a sacred vow to massacre every Christian in Constantinople should the Bulgarians enter the city, or should Roumania be severed from Turkey as a result of the war.

#### FATHER RUSSELL IS DEAD

Founder of Prohibition Party Dies in Detroit, Mich.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 5.—"Father" John Russell, founder of the Prohibition party and the oldest Methodist preacher in the Detroit conference, is dead at the home of his daughter in this city. He was born in Livingston county, New York, in 1822. "Father" Russell co-operated with most of the leading temperance organizations during his life, such as the Sons of Temperance and the Good Templars.

#### Kills Girl and Self in Store.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 5.—Angered because she had spurned his attentions, Antonio J. Patto, twenty, an Italian, shot and killed Martha Haller, seventeen, a sales girl in a department store, and then committed suicide. The store was crowded at the time.

#### Society Woman Attempts Suicide.

New York, Nov. 5.—Mrs. Louise Emory Newell, wife of Frederick E. Newell, resident manager for the Birmingham Iron and Locomotive company of this city, attempted suicide here by inhaling gas and slashing her wrist.

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#### BIG MEETING COMING

Illinois Farmers' Institute, State Department of Household Science, and Illinois Alfalfa Growers' Association Will be in Sterling on Feb. 18, 19 and 20, 1913.

On the earnest invitation of many farmers and dairymen of Northern Illinois, as well as the business and professional men and home makers of Sterling and vicinity, the board of directors of the Illinois Farmers' Institute and the Illinois Alfalfa Growers' association will hold a three days' meeting in Sterling in which all the departments of farming—horticulture, live stock, dairy-ing, soils, drainage and domestic science—will be represented by practicing farmers and experts.

Each day various phases of the many agricultural and home making problems will be presented and discussed, and each evening popular lectures will be given by men and women of prominence in the educational and business world.

#### What the Institute Is.

The Illinois Farmers' Institute is a permanent thing and has a particular work to do. It is composed of men and women who represent that calling or business which creates things of value—things which have not heretofore existed—producers of wealth—farmers. In its ranks are also found an almost equal number of men and women representing that other important part of our citizenship which aids human progress by manufacturing useful articles from raw material, distributing them, caring for our sick and educating our children—consumers. All who are interested in this great organization believe in the farm, in the home and in ever and always doing that which upbuilds, improves and makes permanent the business of agriculture and the art of home making, and when these two great factors of society—the producers and the consumers—join in an intellectual endeavor to solve problems vital to the best interest of all, surely great good is accomplished.

#### Organization Is Unique.

The Farmers' Institute is unlike all other organizations because what it does not do; it does not attempt to dictate the management of state or national affairs; it has no politics, no religious creed, no financial schemes, no axes to grind and no tales of woe to sing. It is simply a great school and all who are affiliated are students striving to gain a useful knowledge in the art and science of agriculture, commerce and education.

It serves to bring together on a common platform of equality the practical men and women of farms, the teachers in agricultural colleges, the careful investigator from the experiment stations, as well as the professional and business men and women of the city, forming a conference of seekers and imparters of information unique in the history of organizations. It appeals to young and old; it has a message for the beginner as well as their profession; it has suggestions of genuine and lasting value for the uninformed; it has inspiration and uplift for all and every man and woman in Illinois is invited to attend the meetings and take home a bountiful supply of inspiration and useful information.

#### Towel Problem Solved.

Postmaster General Hitchcock has solved the towel problem that confronts other executive departments. When the "laundry trust" of Washington jumped up the prices on towels Mr. Hitchcock installed a plant to launder the post office department towels. Local laundries laundered 100 towels for 32 cents last year. This year the price demanded is 75 cents. Up to recently one towel a week was allowed to each of the 1,800 employees of the department. Now each employee is allowed three towels a week. The department towels are washed by a machine owned by the government, and operated by a person paid \$580 annually. Last year when the price of ice went too high, Mr. Hitchcock established a small ice factory, and makes his own ice, saving the government several hundred dollars annually.

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**NEW HOME FOR CLUB****ROOSEVELT HAS FALL**

**ARMY AND NAVY MOVE INTO A FINE BUILDING.**

**Formal Opening Will Take Place Soon, When President Taft and Prominent Government Officials and Diplomats Will Be Present.**

The Army and Navy club moved the other day into its new building at the corner of Seventeenth and I streets, directly opposite the old club. The formal opening of the building has been postponed until sometime in October, when a distinguished gathering, including President Taft and others prominent in official, social and diplomatic circles, will be invited to attend the elaborate exercises.

The new building is conceded to be one of the handsomest clubs in this country. The building is U-shaped in plan, with the longer dimensions on the east side of Seventeenth street, the principal rooms overlooking Faragut square toward the west. The main entrance is in the center of the south front on I street. To the right, on entering, are the main stairway, the office, telephone booths and the coat room. On the left of the entrance a wide lobby marks the entrance to the main club room from a long corridor, which runs north and south. The strangers' room adjoins this corridor on the south.

A lounging room about 20 feet square occupies the southwest corner. This room is richly furnished with teak furniture, temple embroideries, paintings on silk and brocades and lacquers, presented to the club by Mrs. Charles A. Spalding, in memory of her brother, Capt. A. E. Culver, U. S. N., and an old member of the club who had been greatly interested in the project for new quarters, but who died just before the plan reached fruition.

The main lounging room, 80 feet long and two stories in height, occupies the center of the west front and overlooks the park. This room is wainscoted its full height in chestnut, toned down to a gray. The furniture is in walnut, a part of it covered in leather and a part in tapestries, figured and rich in color. The flooring is parquet in oak, covered with Ferguson rugs. There are fireplaces at the north and south ends, with the chimney breasts faced with Formosa marble. Above each of these mantels is a frieze panel which will be filled with mural paintings, Mars and a Cadet and Neptune and a Middy. These are now being executed by William N. Paxton, of Boston. The navy mantel will have a clock with Carrara marble dial, and engraved bronze ship's bell in a bronze niche, presented to the club by the class of 1881 of the naval academy.

On the east side of the main corridor, opposite the lounging room, is a morning room overlooking the court to the east. The grille room occupies the east end of the north L. The west end of the L contains the ladies' reception room, which has its own separate entrance from the north court. The main lounging room is overlooked from the mezzanine from three openings on the east. This mezzanine contains the library, the study, a waiting room, small card rooms, a large foyer and the board room.

The third, fourth and fifth floors are devoted to bedrooms, 74 in all. The main dining room is on the sixth floor in the center of the west front. The I street front on this story is occupied by a card room, a lobby and a smoking room. This card room is adorned with 20 fac-similes of Edouard Detaille's famous studies of the French soldier and sailor, depicting every arm of the service in the brilliant uniforms that have made the French army the most picturesque on the continent. These pictures were obtained from Goupil in Paris, and presented to the club by Gen. Felix Agius, of the Baltimore American, who has been a member of the club since it was founded. The pictures have been framed by Mr. Bendann of Baltimore, to harmonize with the color scheme of the room.

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**JOKES AS RUSH OF CROWD BREAKS DOWN STAGE.**

"Progressive Platform Would Not Have Broken," He Declares, Regaining Balance—No One Hurt.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Nov. 5.—Colonel Roosevelt has put the finishing touches upon his campaign for the presidency. He left Sagamore Hill shortly before three o'clock in Bourke Crocker's automobile for Mineola.

As Roosevelt stepped to the stage under the tent there the crowd of 1,200 set up a cheer. Those back of the platform, two feet above the turf, climbed on it to get a glimpse of him. The weight was too great for the flimsy supports and, while the ex-president stood at the front edge bowing in acknowledgment of the cheers, the stage gave way with a snap. The rear end hit the ground, leaving the front part in the air.

Roosevelt was thrown backward and clutched the back of a chair with his right hand, saving himself from falling. A pitcher of ice water was thrown in the air, the contents spilling over the colonel and the crowd back of him. Those seated on the stage were toppled from chairs, but the collapse was so easy that no one was hurt.

Roosevelt scrambled back up the incline and with a broad smile raised his hand. "Don't worry," he called out. "No one's hurt. The platform was a bit unsteady. The Progressive platform wouldn't have broken down."

**ADMITS KILLING 2 WOMEN**

**Mrs. Pansy Lesh Denies Husband's Accusation She Is Insane.**

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 5.—Declaring she is happier than she has been in years because of her confession to having killed two women in Missouri, Mrs. Pansy Hastings Lesh is in the city jail here, awaiting the arrival of Sheriff M. T. Henderson of Sedalia, Mo. The young woman's husband at the jail said her story was false and that she was insane. This she denied. She said she gave poison to Mrs. Eliza Coe at Sedalia a year after she had caused the death of Mrs. E. M. Quaintance at Greenridge, Mo.

**LOUISIANA FOR INCOME TAX**

**Consent of Two More States Necessary to Amend Constitution.**

Washington, Nov. 5.—The ratification by Louisiana of the income tax amendment to the constitution, brings the number of states taking such action up to 33. The state department is daily expecting notice from Ohio, where the legislature has acted favorably. The formal acquiescence of only two more states are now necessary to make the three-fourths required by the constitution for the adoption of the amendment.

**GOV. FOSS A GRANDFATHER**

**Masachusetts State Executive Rejoicing Over Wife's Birthday Also.**

Boston, Nov. 5.—Eugene Noble Foss, second, weight 8½ pounds, was born here. That means that Governor Foss became a grandfather. It was also the birthday of Mrs. Foss, wife of the governor. So the visit of the stork meant a double rejoicing. The baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Foss, the governor's son and daughter-in-law, at their home in Jamaica Plains, Mass. Mrs. Foss was Miss Dorothy Chapman of San Francisco.

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**TRIPLETS GET BIG NAMES**

**Parents Send Message to White House Announcing News.**

Washington, Nov. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kyler of Denison, Tex., sent a telegram to President Taft, received at the White House, announcing the birth of three sons, named William Howard Taft Kyler, Theodore Roosevelt Kyler and Woodrow Wilson Kyler. In the president's name, Assistant Secretary Brahany sent a telegram to the parents expressing the wish that the triplets would live long and prosper.

**STRIKE ON CANADIAN ROAD**

**Five Thousand May Be Affected in Stations and Offices.**

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 5.—A strike which may affect 5,000 clerks and stenographers employed at the various stations and offices of the Canadian Pacific railroad has begun. President Mosher of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees, the organization of the office and station workers, said its members were on strike throughout the system.

**GIFT HORSE.**  
Hostess (after presenting fan to prize winner at whist drive)—Really, I'm afraid it's hardly worth accepting.

Winner (appraising its worth)—Oh, thank you so much; it's just the kind of fan I wanted—one that I shouldn't mind losing.—Punch.

**ADDS A RICH COLLECTION**

**United States National Museum Receives Valuable Gansevoort Collection of War Relics.**

The United States National museum has lately added a rich collection of souvenirs through donation of a valuable series of uniforms, swords, rifles and other objects relating to Brig. Gen. Peter Gansevoort, Jr., his son and grandson. The objects of primary interest are the ones pertaining to General Gansevoort himself, who served in the revolutionary war. He was born in Albany, N. Y., July 17, 1749, and died there on July 2, 1812, at the age of sixty-three years.

The two uniforms—one of the revolution and one of the 1810-1812 period—attract more attention than anything else. The revolutionary one is the only uniform of the time in the museum collection except that of General Washington.

In the collection is a sword of this period, belonging to General Gansevoort, decorated with the arms of Great Britain, and is undoubtedly of an old design. There is also a folding mahogany camp cot used by the general.

General Washington

is immortalized by his achievements in the many Indian

fighters in which he participated, and by his record as an Indian scout. The collection includes a memento of this phase of his career, in the form of the white buckskin coat in which he has been most often pictured as a plainsman and scout. This coat is in excellent condition and looks as if the general had just removed it and hung it up. It has deep collar and cuffs and is heavily fringed with slashed buckskin trimming. The pockets are made much as in modern sporting coats, while the buttons are of the regular army pattern of the period. This coat calls to mind the services which General Custer rendered to the government in the campaigns against the Sioux in 1875 and 1876, in the last of which, the battle of the Little Big Horn, he met his death.

Accompanying the coat is a yellow plumed cavalry helmet and a buckskin gauntlet, both worn during his active service against the Indians from 1866 to 1876, while Lieutenant colonel, Seventh cavalry, U. S. A.

There is also a blue regulation army officer's coat with two starred straps,

plush collar and cuffs—the coat which he wore on the occasion of his marriage to Miss Elizabeth Bacon, February 9, 1864. A straight cavalry saber of tremendous size is also included in the collection. It was a spoil of war captured by Major Drew, who presented it to General Custer, since he knew no other man able to wield such a large weapon. It has a Toledo blade, on which is engraved in Spanish, "Do not draw without cause and do not sheath me without honor."

A Virginia state flag, a prize of the general's personal prowess, captured by him in 1861, when a lieutenant, is also on display. It is supposed to be the first standard captured by the Army of the Potomac.

One object of great historical significance, though of rather an unromantic nature, is half of a white towel which figured conspicuously in the battle just preceding the surrender of General Lee at Appomattox. It seems that while General Lee had gone to the rear of the confederate lines to secure an interview with General Grant, leaving General Longstreet in command, General Gordon's division became hard pressed by the enemy and called on Longstreet for assistance.

Not being able to furnish assistance at that time Longstreet sent his inspector general, Maj. R. M. Simms, to suggest to Gordon the sending of a flag of truce to the federal, requesting a suspension of hostilities pending the interview between Lee and Grant.

Following this suggestion, Gordon at once dispatched Simms to Federal Commander Sheridan with this request.

As Major Simms galloped toward the lines of the federals he searched his haversack for something white to cover his advance, but found only a towel. This he drew out and waved above his head as he approached the enemy. The Union soldiers caught sight of the white towel, held their fire, and under this improvised flag, Simms was allowed to enter the lines, where he was met by Colonel Whitaker and taken to General Custer, who was in command of that part of the field.

Neither of these officers, however, cared to declare a temporary cessation of hostilities just then, feeling that they held the southern army at their mercy. So Simms was obliged to return to his own lines without accomplishing his purpose. He left the truce towel in the hands of Colonel Whitaker, who took half of it and gave the other portion to General Custer.

Most important among this collection of war relics is a little oval tablet of wood much battered and scarred, on which General Grant wrote the letter containing the terms of the surrender of General Lee at the home of Wilmot McLean, near Appomattox Courthouse, Va.

**NOTABLE CHINESE WOMAN.**

Sung Su Tsung, a young woman teacher in a school in Shanghai, is regarded in her home city as a second Joan of Arc. After weeks of hard work she has succeeded in enrolling 120 of her women friends in a military organization, and has offered their services and her own to the Shanghai provisional military authorities in their fight against the Manchus. All the younger women in the teacher's detachment are anxious to go to the front and are bringing their influence to bear in asking for the chance to see and do some fighting.

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La Guaya, Venezuela, Nov. 5.—A case of genuine bubonic plague has been discovered here. Strict sanitary measures are being enforced.

**TRIPLETS GET BIG NAMES**

**Parents Send Message to White House Announcing News.**

Washington, Nov. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kyler of Denison, Tex., sent a telegram to President Taft, received at the White House, announcing the birth of three sons, named William Howard Taft Kyler, Theodore Roosevelt Kyler and Woodrow Wilson Kyler. In the president's name, Assistant Secretary Brahany sent a telegram to the parents expressing the wish that the triplets would live long and prosper.

**GIFT HORSE.**  
Hostess (after presenting fan to prize winner at whist drive)—Really, I'm afraid it's hardly worth accepting.

Winner (appraising its worth)—Oh, thank you so much; it's just the kind of fan I wanted—one that I shouldn't mind losing.—Punch.

**GEN. CUSTER RELICS**

**INTERESTING MEMORIALS LEFT TO NATION AND PUBLIC VIEW.**

**Collection of War Trophies, Many of Them Pathetic, Has Recently Been Installed in Hall of History in the National Museum.**

An interesting collection has recently been installed in the hall of history in the National museum, consisting of articles donated and lent by Mrs. George A. Custer, widow of Brevet Major General George A. Custer, U. S. A.

General Custer is immortally remembered by his achievements in the many Indian

fights in which he participated, and by his record as an Indian scout. The collection includes a memento of this phase of his career, in the form of the white buckskin coat in which he has been most often pictured as a plainsman and scout. This coat is in excellent condition and looks as if the general had just removed it and hung it up. It has deep collar and cuffs and is heavily fringed with slashed buckskin trimming. The pockets are made much as in modern sporting coats, while the buttons are of the regular army pattern of the period. This coat calls to mind the services which General Custer rendered to the government in the campaigns against the Sioux in 1875 and 1876, in the last of which, the battle of the Little Big Horn, he met his death.

Accompanying the coat is a yellow plumed cavalry helmet and a buckskin gauntlet, both worn during his active service against the Indians from 1866 to 1876, while Lieutenant colonel, Seventh cavalry, U. S. A.

There is also a blue regulation army officer's coat with two starred straps,

plush collar and cuffs—the coat which he wore on the occasion of his marriage to Miss Elizabeth Bacon, February 9, 1864. A straight cavalry saber of tremendous size is also included in the collection. It was a spoil of war captured by Major Drew, who presented it to General Custer, since he knew no other man able to wield such a large weapon. It has a Toledo blade, on which is engraved in Spanish, "Do not draw without cause and do not sheath me without honor."

A Virginia state flag, a prize of the general's personal prowess, captured by him in 1861, when a lieutenant, is also on display. It is supposed to be the first standard captured by the Army of the Potomac.

One object of great historical significance, though of rather an unromantic nature, is half of a white towel which figured conspicuously in the battle just preceding the surrender of General Lee at Appomattox. It seems that while General Lee had gone to the rear of the confederate lines to secure an interview with General Grant, leaving General Longstreet in command, General Gordon's division became hard pressed by the enemy and called on Longstreet for assistance.

Not being able to furnish assistance at that time Longstreet sent his inspector general, Maj. R. M. Simms, to suggest to Gordon the sending of a flag of truce to the federal, requesting a suspension of hostilities pending the interview between Lee and Grant.

Following this suggestion, Gordon at once dispatched Simms to Federal Commander Sheridan with this request.

As Major Simms galloped toward the lines of the federals he searched his haversack for something white to cover his advance, but found only a towel. This he drew out and waved above his head as he approached the enemy. The Union soldiers caught sight of the white towel, held their fire, and under this improvised flag, Simms was allowed to enter the lines, where he was met by Colonel Whitaker and taken to General Custer, who was in command of that part of the field.

Neither of these officers, however, cared to declare a temporary cessation of hostilities just then, feeling that they held the southern army at their mercy. So Simms was obliged to return to his own lines without accomplishing his purpose. He left the truce towel in the hands of Colonel Whitaker, who took half of it and gave the other portion to General Custer.

Most important among this collection of war relics is a little oval tablet of wood much battered and scarred, on which General Grant wrote the letter containing the terms of the surrender of General Lee at the home of Wilmot McLean, near Appomattox Courthouse, Va.

**NOTICE OF AWARD OF CONTRACT.**

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN; That the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, at a regular called meeting of said Board, held at the City Clerk's office in the City of Dixon, at two o'clock p. m., on Saturday, the 2nd day of November, A. D. 1912, awarded a contract for furnishing all material, tools, macadamery and labor for paving the driveway portion of E. Second Street from the east line of Galena Avenue, to the west line of Ottawa Avenue, of East Third Street from the east line of Galena Avenue to the west line of Ottawa Avenue, of Ottawa Avenue from the south line of East Second Street to the north line of East Third street, of the intersection common to East Second Street and Ottawa Avenue, of the intersection common to East Third Street and Ottawa Avenue and of the intersection common to Galena Avenue, Third Street and East Third Street, in Said City of Dixon as provided for in City of Dixon Local Improvement Ordinance No. 136, Series of 1912, to Rink & Schnell of Dixon, Illinois.

That the price at which said Rink & Schnell were awarded said contract is approximate quantities:

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That said Board on or after the 15th day of November, A. D. 1912, will enter into a contract with said Rink & Schnell to furnish all tools, material, machinery and labor for said improvement, unless the requisite number of property owners or their agents who shall take oath that they are such owners or agents, shall within ten days after the first publication of this notice, enter into a written contract to do the whole of said

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